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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE UNDER C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 18, 2009, Applicants respectfully submit the following Response, a petition for a three-month extension of time and the required fee. Entry of the Response is respectfully requested.

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